

**NEVADA NEWSMAKERS
HOSTED BY SAM SHAD
AIRS MONDAY THRU THURSDAY
12:00 – 12:30**

Monday, July 02, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: John Seelmeyer, Editor, Northern Nevada Business Weekly

Topics: No NV Business Weekly

Pundits: Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham Government Affairs; Marlene Lockard, Principal, Capitol Partners; Verita Black Prothro, Business Development Manager, Nevada Arrhythmia Services

Tuesday, July 03, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Assemblywoman Lucy Flores, District 28

Topics: Immigration Scams

Pundits: Marlene Lockard, Principal, Capitol Partners; Verita Black Prothro, Business Development Manager, Nevada Arrhythmia Services; Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham Government Affairs

Wednesday, July 04, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Rick Velotta, Business Writer, Las Vegas Sun

Topics: NV Business

Pundits: Elisa Cafferata, Lobbyist, Planned Parenthood; Larry Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association; James Smack, Republican Party Vice Chairman

Thursday, July 05, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Derek Morse, Consulting Engineer

Topics: Improvements to transportation system in NV

Pundits: Dick Gammick, Washoe County District Attorney; Chris Wicker, Spokesman, WashoeDEMS; Connie McMullen, Publisher, Senior Spectrum Magazine

Monday, July 9, 2012

Host: Ray Hagar

Guest: Karen Abowd Title: The Greenhouse Project

Pundits: Verita Black Prothro, Business Development Manager, Nevada Arrhythmia Services, Fred Lokken, Professor of Political Science, TMCC, Tray Abney, Director of Government Relations

Tuesday, July 10, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guest: Barbara Buckley, Executive Director

Topic: Legal Aid Center of Southern Nevada

Pundits: Bryan Wachter, Director of Legislative Policy, Retail Association of Nevada, Larry Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association, Warren Hardy, Principal, Hardy Consulting

Wednesday, July 11, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guest: Carole Vilardo

Topics: Nevada Taxpayers Association

Pundits: Warren Hardy, Principal, Hardy Consulting – Bryan Wachter, Director of Legislative Policy, Retail Association of NV – Larry Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association

Thursday, July 12, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guest: Marybel Batjer, Vice President of Public Policy & Communications, Caesars Entertainment

Topic: Gaming in Nevada

Pundit: Helen Foley, Partner, Faiss Foley Warren Susan Fisher, Principal, Fisher Consulting.

Monday, July 16, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Paul Enos, CEO, Nevada Trucking Association

Guests: Sam Koepnick, Candidate Congressional District 2

Topics: Running against Mark Amodei for Congress

Pundits: Helen Foley, Partner, Faiss Foley Warren; Susan Fisher, Principal, Fisher Consulting

Tuesday, July 17, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Alison Gaulden, Vice President of Public Affairs, Planned Parenthood Mar Monte

Topics: Trip to Eastern Europe

Pundits: Stacy Woodbury, President, Appearances,LLC; Alfredo Alonso, Lewis & Roca; Randi Thompson, Political Analyst

Wednesday, July 18, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Marlene Lockard, Principal, Capitol Partners

Guests: Josh Hicks, Attorney, Brownstein Hyatt

Topics: Fighting the teachers union

Pundits: Dick Gammick, Washoe County District Attorney; Chris Wicker, Spokesman, WashoeDEMS; Chip Evans, Former Chair, WashoeDEMS

Thursday, July 19, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Larry Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association

Topics: After effects of Obamacare

Pundits: Sean Cary, Political Columnist, Reno Tahoe Tonight Magazine; Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham

Government Affairs; Lynn Warne, President, Nevada State Education Association

Monday, July 23, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Kolleen Kelley, President, Greater Las Vegas Association of Realtors and Blane Johnson, President, NVAR

Topics: Realty in the North and South

Pundits: John Sande IV, Attorney, Jones Vargas; Robin Reedy, Principal, Rpolitix; Todd Bailey, Radio Host, The Todd & Trey Show

Tuesday, July 24, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Marlene Lockard, Principal, Capitol Partners

Guests: Lynn Warne, President, Nevada State Education Association

Topics: Teacher's initiative petition

Pundits: Angie Taylor, Consultant, Guardian Quest; Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham Government Affairs; Wayne Frediani, Executive Director, Nevada Franchised Auto Dealers Association

Wednesday, July 25, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Randi Thompson, Political Analyst

Guests: Jay Parmer, President, American Strategies, Inc.

Topics: Republican Presidential Overview

Pundits: Mary Lau, President and CEO, Retail Association of Nevada; James Smack, Republican Party Vice Chairman

Thursday, July 26, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Dean Dilullo, CEO, M1Gaming

Topics: New owner of Boomtown

Pundits: Jennifer Crowe, Writer and Political Consultant; Verita Black Prothro, Business Development Manager, Nevada Arrhythmia Services; Tray Abney, Director of Government Relations, The Chamber

Monday, July 30, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Assemblywoman Debbie Smith, Candidate for Senate District 13

Topics: Apple coming to Northern Nevada

Pundits: Liz MacMenamin, Vice President, Retail Association of Nevada; Marlene Lockard, Principal, Capitol Partners; Mendy Elliott, Senior Partner, Forte' LLP

Tuesday, July 31, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Greg Crawford, Co-Manager, Alliance Trust Company & Mike Bosma, CPA and Host of the Bosma on Business Radio show, Newstalk 780 KOH

Topics: How much it costs to retire?

Pundits: Dick Gammick, Washoe County District Attorney; Keith Lee, Attorney; Rew Goodenow, Attorney, Parsons, Behle & Latimer

Wednesday, August 01, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Alfredo Alonso, Lewis & Roca

Topics: Statewide Politics & Gaming

Pundits: Ellie Lopez-Bowlan, Community Activist; Mike Hillerby, Partner, Hillerby & Associates; James Smack, Republican Party Vice Chairman

Thursday, August 02, 2012

Guests: Don Ahern, President & CEO, Ahern Equipment Rentals

Pundits: Elisa Cafferata, Lobbyist, Planned Parenthood; Tray Abney, Director of Government Relations, The Chamber; Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham Government Affairs

Host: Sam Shad

Topics: Business in Nevada

Monday, August 06, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Atzimba Luna-Becerril, Community Affairs Consul, Consulate of Mexico

Topics: Immigration Issues

Pundits: Robin Reedy, Principal, Rpolitix; Guy Rocha, Former Nevada State Archivist; Marlene Lockard, Government Affairs

Tuesday, August 07, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Paul Enos, CEO, Nevada Trucking Association

Guests: George Harris, Chair, Nevadans for Sound Government

Topics: Republican Politics

Pundits: John Gwaltney, President Emeritus, TMCC; Dick Gammick, Washoe County District Attorney; Ernie Adler, Former State Senator

Wednesday, August 08, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Dallas Tonsager, USDA Rural Development Undersecretary

Topics: USDA provides loan guarantees to NV

Pundits: Heidi Smith, Republican National Committeewoman for Nevada; Alison Gaulden, Vice President, Planned Parenthood; Michael Hackett, Vice President, Alrus

Thursday, August 09, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Ray Hagar, Reno Gazette-Journal

Guests: Professor Wade Fisher, Michigan University

Topics: God Particle

Pundits: Stacy Woodbury, President, Appearances, LLC; Orrin Johnson, Republican Activist and Publisher, www.orrinjohnson.com

Monday, August 13, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Ray Hagar, Reno Gazette Journal

Guests: Mark Amodei, Nevada Congressional District 2

Topics: Congressional Issues

Tuesday, August 14, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Randi Thompson, Political Analyst

Guests: Andrew Clinger, Reno City Manager

Topics: City Budget

Pundits: Chris Wicker, Spokesman, WashoeDEMS; Elisa Cafferata, Lobbyist, Planned Parenthood; Sean Cary, Political Columnist, Reno Tahoe Tonight Magazine

Wednesday, August 15, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Ray Hagar, Reno Gazette Journal

Guests: Barbara Vucanovich, Nevada's First Woman in Congress

Topics: National Political Issues

Pundits: Liz MacMenamin, Vice President, Retail Association of Nevada; James Smack, Republican Party Vice Chairman; Danny Thompson, Executive Secretary-Treasurer, AFL-CIO

Thursday, August 16, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Ray Hagar, Reno Gazette Journal

Guests: Robert Cashell, Mayor of Reno, Nevada

Topics: City of Reno Issues

Pundits: Tray Abney, Director of Government Relations, The Chamber; Chip Evans, Host of "Get Real, America!" on KJFK; John Sande IV, Attorney, Jones Vargas

Monday, August 20, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Corrado De Gasperis, President and CEO of Comstock Mining

Topics: Mining on the Comstock

Pundits: Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham Government Affairs; Steve Ranson, Editor, Lahontan Valley News; Dan Mason, Program Director KKOH

Tuesday, August 21, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Michael W. Yackira, President and Chief Executive Officer, Nevada Energy

Topics: Renewable Energy

Pundits: Ty Cobb, Former Special Assistant to President Reagan; Ellie Lopez-Bowlan, Community Activist; Verita Black Prothro, Business Development Manager, Nevada Arrhythmia Services

Wednesday, August 22, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Marlene Lockard, Government Affairs

Guests: Scott Bensing, President, S B Strategic Consulting

Topics: National Politics

Pundits: Dick Gammick, Washoe County District Attorney; Mike Hillerby, Partner, Hillerby & Associates; Amber Joiner, Director of Government Relations, Nevada State Medical Association

Thursday, August 23, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Michael Houghton, President CEO, Reno Air Racing Association

Topics: Reno Air Races

Pundits: Larry Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association; Mendy Elliott, Senior Partner, Forte' LLP; Chip Evans, Host of "Get Real, America!" on KJFK

Monday, August 27, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Randi Thompson, Political Analyst

Guests: Glenn Cook, Editorial Page Writer, Las Vegas Review Journal

Topics: Political Races in NV

Pundits: Tray Abney, Director of Government Relations, The Chamber; Larry Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association; Chris Wicker, Spokesman, WashoeDEMS

Tuesday, August 28, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Ray Hagar, Reno Gazette Journal

Guests: Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham Government Affairs

Topics: Republican Convention

Pundits: Dick Gammick, Washoe County District Attorney; Stacy Woodbury, President, Appearances, LLC; Derek Morse, Consulting Engineer

Wednesday, August 29, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Randi Thompson, Political Analyst

Guests: Ty Cobb, Former Special Assistant to President Reagan

Topics: International Affairs

Pundits: Robin Reedy, Principal, Rpolitix; Fred Lokken, Professor of Political Science, TMCC

Thursday, August 30, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Marlene Lockard, Government Affairs

Guests: Heidi Smith, Republican National Committeewoman for Nevada

Topics: Republican Convention

Pundits: Jill Derby, Former Nevada Democratic Party Chair; Liz MacMenamin, Vice President, Retail Association of Nevada; Sean Cary, Political Columnist, Reno Tahoe Tonight Magazine

Monday, September 03, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Barry Gold, Director of Government Relations, AARP, Nevada

Topics: Senior issues

Pundits: Robin Reedy, Principal, Rpolitix; Fred Lokken, Professor of Political Science, TMCC; Orrin Johnson, Republican Activist and Publisher, orrinjohnson.com

Tuesday, September 04, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Paul Enos, CEO, Nevada Trucking Association

Guests: Paul Thomsen, Public Policy Manager with Ormat Technologies, Inc.

Topics: Renewable Energy

Pundits: Larry Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association; Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham Government Affairs; Marlene Lockard, Government Affairs

Wednesday, September 05, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Ray Hagar, Reno Gazette Journal

Guests: Danny Tarkanian, Candidate, Congressional District 4

Topics: Running for Congress

Pundits: Mendy Elliott, Senior Partner, Forte' LLP; Alison Gaulden, Vice President, Planned Parenthood; Ellie Lopez-Bowlan, Community Activist

Thursday, September 06, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Bob Brown, Publisher, Las Vegas Review Journal

Topics: New Innovations in the Newspaper Industry

Pundits: Dick Gammick, Washoe County District Attorney; Angie Taylor, Consultant, Guardian Quest; Verita Black Prothro, Host of "Get Real, America!" on KJFK

Monday, September 10, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Bernie Carter, Candidate for City Council Ward I, and Jenny Brekhus, Candidate for City Council Ward I

Topics: Running for Reno City Council

Pundits: Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham Government Affairs; Marlene Lockard, Government Affairs; Todd "Taxpayer" Bailey

Tuesday, September 11, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Bob Crowell, Mayor of Carson City, Nevada

Topics: Carson City Mayor

Pundits: Larry Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association; Mendy Elliott, Senior Partner, Forte' LLP; Tray Abney, Director of Government Relations, The Chamber

Wednesday, September 12, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Randi Thompson, Political Analyst

Topics: Political Analysis

Guests: David Damore, Associate Professor of Political Science, UNLV

Pundits: Ernie Adler, Former State Senator; Dorie Guy, Chair, WashoeDEMS

Thursday, September 13, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Jane Ann Morrison, Columnist, Las Vegas Review Journal

Topics: Political Commentary

Pundits: Dick Gammick, Washoe County District Attorney; Angie Taylor, Consultant, Guardian Quest; Robin Reedy, Principal, Rpolitix

Monday, September 17, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Senator Michael Schneider, Clark District 11

Pundits: Robert Uithoven, Kolesar & Leatham Government Affairs; Larry Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association; Mike Hillerby, Partner, Hillerby & Associates

Tuesday, September 18, 2012

Host: Paul Enos, CEO, Nevada Trucking Association

Guests: Gerald O'Driscoll, Economist, Senior Fellow, The Cato Institute

Pundits: Liz MacMenamin, Vice President, Retail Association of Nevada; Chris Wicker, Spokesman, WashoeDEMS; Mike Bosma, CPA and Host of the Bosma on Business Radio show on Newstalk 780 KOH

Wednesday, September 19, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Pat Mulroy, General Manager, Southern Nevada Water Authority

Pundits: Bryan Wachter, Director of Legislative Policy, Retail Association of Nevada; Helen Foley, Partner, Faiss Foley Warren; Chuck Muth, President, Citizen Outreach

Thursday, September 20, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Jim Rogers, President, CEO, Owner, Intermountain West Media

Pundits: Helen Foley, Partner, Faiss Foley Warren; Chuck Muth, President, Citizen Outreach; Bryan Wachter, Director of Legislative Policy, Retail Association of Nevada

Monday, September 24, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Mark Hutchison, Candidate, Nevada State Senate, District 6

Pundits: Dan Hart, Democratic Political Consultant; Ryan Erwin, Republican Political Consultant

Tuesday, September 25, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Ray Hagar, Reno Gazette Journal

Guests: U.S. Senator Dean Heller

Wednesday, September 26, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Co-Host: Ray Hagar, Reno Gazette-Journal

Guests: State Senator Greg Brower, Nevada Senate District 15; Sheila Leslie, Candidate for Nevada Senate District 15

Thursday, September 27, 2012

Host: Sam Shad

Guests: Dina Titus, Candidate for Nevada Congressional District 1

Pundits: Dan Hart, Democratic Political Consultant; Ryan Erwin, Republican Political Consultant